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No. 01-896-CFX Title: Ford Motor Company and Citibank (South Dakota), N.A., Petitioners
v.
John B. McCauley, et al.

Docketed:
December 19, 2001 Court: United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit

Entry	Date	Proceedings and Orders
	Dec 19 2001	Petition for writ of certiorari filed. (Response due January 18, 2002)
	Jan 18 2002	Brief of respondents John B. McCauley, et al. in opposition filed.
	Jan 30 2002	DISTRIBUTED for Conference of February 15, 2002
	Jan 31 2002	Reply brief of petitioners Ford Motor Company and Citibank (South Dakota), N.A. filed.
	Feb 19 2002	Petition GRANTED. limited to Question 1 presented by the petition. SET FOR ARGUMENT October 7, 2002. **********
	Apr 5 2002	Order extending time to file brief of petitioner on the merits until May 6, 2002.
	May 3 2002	Brief amicus curiae of Pharmaceutical Research and Manufacturers of America filed.
	May 6 2002	Joint appendix filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief of petitioners Ford Motor Company and Citibank (South Dakota), N.A. filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of National Association of Manufacturers filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of Business Roundtable filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of Chamber of Commerce of the United States filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of Product Liability Advisory Council filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of United States filed.
	May 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company filed.
	Jun 5 2002	Brief amicus curiae of Association of Trial Lawyers of America filed.
	Jun 6 2002	Brief of respondents John B. McCauley, et al. filed.
	Jun 6 2002	Brief amicus curiae of Trial Lawyers for Public Justice filed.
	Jun 21 2002	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument filed.
	Jun 28 2002	Motion of the Solicitor General for leave to participate in oral argument as amicus curiae and for divided argument DENIED.
	Jul 8 2002	Reply brief of petitioners Ford Motor Company and Citibank (South Dakota),N.A. filed.
	Jul 23 2002	CIRCULATED.
	Aug 15 2002	Record filed.
	Sep 13 2002	The parties are directed to file supplemental briefs addressing the following question: "Is there appellate

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		jurisdiction when petitioners, as the nominally prevailing party in the district court, appeal the district court's dismissal of a complaint for lack of jurisdiction?" Briefs are to be filed with the Clerk and served upon opposing counsel on or before 3 p.m., Thursday, September 26, 2002. Twenty copies of the briefs prepared under Rule 33.2 may be filed initially in order to meet the September 26 filing date. Rule 29.2 does not apply. Forty copies of the briefs prepared under Rule 33.1 are to be filed as soon as possible thereafter.
	Sep 13 2002	Letter of respondent in response to supplemental briefing question.
	Sep 26 2002	Supplemental brief of respondents John B. McCauley, et al. filed.
	Sep 26 2002	Supplemental brief of petitioners Ford Motor Company and Citibank (South Dakota) N.A. filed.
	Oct 7 2002	ARGUED.
	Oct 15 2002	Writ of certiorari DISMISSED as improvidently granted. Opinion per curiam.